GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
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ADB LOAN TO KERALA
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) The present status of the proposal submitted by the Government of Kerala regarding ADB loan assistance;

(b) whether the change in modalities as mentioned in the proposal is applicable to all States who avail to ADB loan assistance; and

(c) If so, the details in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR FINANCE (SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL)

(a), (b) & (c) The proposal submitted by Government of Kerala is currently under discussion. ADB has indicated that a loan for Kerala Public Resource Management Programme is in the pipeline for calendar year 2002.However, the components and other details of the loan including the modalities would be known after appraisal and negotiations and approval of the Loan by the Board of Directors of ADB.